

Dear Prospective PEC Sponsor:

The Peninsula Engineers Council (PEC) respectfully requests your support as a Corporate Sponsor for our annual banquet honoring the Engineer of the Year and Young Engineer of the Year awards. Your sponsorship helps the PEC accomplish our core mission of promoting engineering as a profession through two main events each year. The Engineering Career Days event will be held during Engineer’s week. The Engineering Career Days event reaches hundreds of high school age students in the Tidewater area, inspiring their interest in engineering fields. The event this year is expected to reach approximately 400 students and will be held at Hampton University on the 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> of February. The PEC works with Jefferson Lab, NASA, and NNS to plan the event and provides lunch on both days to the participants.

The PEC awards banquet will be held Friday evening, February 21, 2025. This year’s Engineer of the Year and the Young Engineer of the Year will be selected in December. A copy of the flyer for the awards banquet will be available in January. Please consider sponsoring the PEC Banquet as your sponsorship will help offset some of the costs associated with Engineering Career Days as well as recognizing this year’s Engineer of the Year and Young Engineer of the Year.

The PEC is an inter-society council comprised of representatives from organizations dedicated to strengthening and promoting the engineering profession in the Peninsula area. The member organizations consist of 12 local chapters of engineering and technical societies. The purposes of the PEC as stated in our constitution are to: (1) Promote the observance of National Engineers Week; (2) Select and recognize a Peninsula Engineer of the Year and Young Engineer of the Year; (3) Coordinate efforts in furthering engineering education in the schools and colleges in the area and to increase the interest of youth in the engineering profession; and (4) Provide a forum for the discussion of problems and activities of common interest. Your sponsorship will help the PEC to fulfill its mission.

For your consideration, the PEC has established four levels of support with specific benefits to donors for each:

<b>Level</b>	<b>Benefits</b>
<b>Partner</b> \$250	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Your organization name and logo recognition on the in the banquet program</li> <li>2 tickets to the annual banquet</li> </ul>
<b>Silver</b> \$600	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Your organization name and logo recognition on the in the banquet program</li> <li>4 tickets to the annual banquet, 4 complementary drink tickets (soda/beer/wine)</li> <li>Website link added to the PEC website for 1 year (<a href="http://va-pec.org/">http://va-pec.org/</a>)</li> </ul>
<b>Gold</b> \$1200	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Your organization name and logo recognition on the in the banquet program</li> <li>8 tickets to the annual banquet, 8 complementary drink tickets (soda/beer/wine)</li> <li>Table reserved for your organization with name and logo displayed</li> <li>Website link added to the PEC website for 1 year (<a href="http://va-pec.org/">http://va-pec.org/</a>)</li> </ul>

The members of the PEC greatly appreciate your support for the 2025 Engineering Career Days and Banquet. Please use the attached sponsorship receipt slip to identify your level of support and submit payments to our chapter Treasurer.

Please contact the Sponsorship Chair, David Conley at (757) 357-7620 or [David@DKArbor.com](mailto:David@DKArbor.com) or the PEC President, Robert Haynes at (757-910-9752) or [robert.a.haynes43.civ@army.mil](mailto:robert.a.haynes43.civ@army.mil) if you have questions. Thank you very much for considering this opportunity to make a difference and be a Corporate Sponsor of the PEC.

Very truly yours,

*Dave Conley*

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